

## CHARITON COURIER.

VANDIVER & COLLINS, Proprietors.

KEYTESVILLE, - MISSOURI.

City Marshal Veatch is the way to write it now.

A full line of notions and fancy goods at Mrs. C. C. Riemann's.

Come to Cook's for cheap flour. He downs any man in town on prices.

For stylish spring and summer "head gear" go to Mrs. Vaughan's.

L. E. Cook has all the trade because he sells cheaper than any one else.

Take your produce to R. Winfree, and get fresh groceries in exchange for it.

Potatoes 10 cents per bushels if you go to the cellar for them at Sneed's.

L. E. Cook's grocery store seems to be headquarters for the "Farmers' alliance."

L. E. Cook wants all your poultry, hides and produce. He will pay you trade and cash.

C. R. Luster, of the Brunswick News, was on the streets of the capital, Monday.

Mr. Moses Wilhoit, an old citizen of Rothville, died, last week, after a long illness.

Miss Emma Snively, of Carrollton, visited relatives here from Wednesday until Saturday.

J. L. Potts was elected alderman from the Second ward of Marcelline, last week, by a large majority.

Sneed will buy all your old school books, that are in serviceable condition in exchange for books or goods.

Call at Mrs. C. C. Riemann's and see her elegant line of millinery. Everything new, handsome and stylish.

F. M. Veatch has qualified as city marshal, and was "ordained" at the meeting of the city council, Monday night.

T. T. Elliott & Son can loan money at 7 1/2 per cent. annual interest. No commissions. Office in court house, Keytesville, Mo.

New Mendon has a \$4,800 creamery in successful operation. Most all of the stock is owned by enterprising farmers of that vicinity.

Try a Marguerita 10-cent cigar, manufactured by the Brunswick Cigar company, and sold by Keytesville dealers. The Marguerita is the best 10-cent cigar on earth.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Friesz, one and a half miles west of this place, are rejoicing over the arrival of a fine girl baby, at their house, on Wednesday, April 2nd.

Bro. McClanahan, of the Norborne Jeffersonian, was the victim of a cotton pie on April 1st. He says it was delicious to look upon, but when he undertook to bite it—Oh, My!

Benjamin Bell, of near Bell school house, was adjudged insane before the county court, Thursday, and was taken to the St. Joseph insane asylum, Saturday, by Sheriff Anderson and A. G. Elliott.

Born.—To Dr. A. W. Zillman and wife, of Indian Grove, Thursday, April 3, 1890, a great, big, fine boy.

To Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Ringer, of near Indian Grove, Thursday, April 3, 1890, a fine daughter.

The Chariton Democrat, published at Salisbury, appeared last week in a new spring dress and "bonnet," and in the form of a six-column quarto instead of a nine-column folio. Success to the Democrat in its new clothes and improved shape.

The worst fooled man we have yet heard of in Chariton county on the 1st day of April, was Mr. C. C. Cole, of Rothville, whose spouse presented him with twins, both boys, on that day. The Courier extends its congratulatory sympathies.

Dr. G. W. Lawhorn, of Forrest Green, will lead to the hymenal altar, on Wednesday of next week, Miss Ludie, the accomplished daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Colvin, of near Forrest Green.

When you want Clothing and Gents' Furnishings, remember that Rosenstein, of Brunswick, carries the noblest lines of these goods to be found in Chariton county.

Prosecuting Attorney Rucker went to Hannondale, Thursday, to represent the state in a case in which Alfred and Wm. Finnell, father and son, were arraigned before "Squire Henry Hayes for assault and battery upon one J. F. Adams. The defendants were each fined \$1 with trimmings on account of their pugnacious tendencies.

MARRIED.—At the residence of the officiating minister, Rev. J. Edwin Norvell, in this city, Wednesday, April 2nd, Mr. S. D. Brockman, of Brunswick, and Miss Gertrude Hoyle.

The Courier joins this estimable young couple's host of friends in wishing them a happy and untroubled voyage upon the sea of matrimony.

Mrs. A. C. Vandiver returned to Columbia, Saturday.

Thos. E. Mackay is doing service as deputy circuit clerk during court.

The candidates have been numerous in and about the capital, this week.

W. G. Herndon, Mendon's genial druggist, was at the capital, Monday and Tuesday.

Work is being rapidly pushed on Mr. D. H. Hancock's new residence on Lincoln avenue.

How many things there are to laugh at to the girl who has pretty teeth and dimples.

Hunt & Co. are in the market with a full line of agricultural implements, and will not be undersold. Call and see them.

"Uncle John" Brill, of the Forks, is still confined to his room with rheumatic pains. We hope to see him about soon.

Misses Dean Elliott and Bettie Moorman returned from Salisbury, Sunday afternoon, where they had been visiting Miss Alice Hyde.

Mrs. C. C. Riemann has moved her stock of millinery goods to the Hill building, which A. Emanuel & Son vacated, some time ago. Read her "ad" in another column.

At the meeting of the city council, Monday night, Geo. R. Stuart was appointed street commissioner, Thos. E. Mackay city assessor, and M. W. Anderson custodian of the city funds.

Somehow a man feels much worse the day after he has lost an hour's sleep on account of the baby, than the day after he has lost five hours' sleep from being out with "the boys."

I have just opened up a fresh stock of staple and fancy groceries, which I will sell cheap for cash or exchange for country produce.

R. WINFREE.

It is believed that women contract the predilection about their ages from the way, when they are little girls, their parents lie about the same subject to conductors and ticket sellers.

CLOTHING AT COST!

We propose to clean out our entire stock of Clothing, consisting of Men's, Youths' and Children's Clothing, at FIRST COST. All those in need of Clothing will do well to call and take advantage of this sale.

SCOTT & PARKS.

W. W. Rogers, of this place, has bought and is now moving to the Marion Davis farm, near Dawkins' bridge. The price Mr. Rogers paid for the farm, which only contains forty acres, was \$375.

Major T. H. Walton, of Salisbury, a son-in-law of Judge John W. Price, deceased, has been appointed executor of Judge Price's will. The will has been in the possession of J. D. Ingram, of Hale City, Mo., for some time.

Mrs. Jas. Guthridge, of near Guthridge Mills, and her sister, Mrs. Frances Wear, of Kansas City, returned, Saturday, from a visit to their brother, Mr. Jackson Morgan, of Sumner. Mrs. Wear departed for Kansas City, Saturday afternoon.

Rev. J. W. Estes, of near Long's Mill, is the "father" of a shoe blacking, which he pronounces of excellent quality. Mr. Estes has also "invented" a soap which he pronounces par excellence for removing grease and other substances from clothing. We hope he has struck it rich.

Aaron Bachtel, of near Newcomer, had two cows and two mules bitten by a mad dog, some two weeks ago. One of the cows has since gone mad, and was killed, and it is likely, by this time, that other stock, bitten by the dog, have also been attacked with rabies. The dog belonged to Mr. Bachtel, and was bitten by another canine of the neighborhood, about three weeks ago.

The observance of arbor day in Keytesville was a great success. Some 250 trees were planted in the new school-house yard, and a variety of shrubbery set out. The committee who had the matter in charge and the school children who lent such willing hands to assist in beautifying the school grounds, deserve the highest praises.

Mrs. S. E. Vaughan's spring millinery opening, Saturday, was well attended and much enjoyed by the fair sex. In fact, a lady is never happier than when admiring stylish headgear, and Mrs. Vaughan's grand display of pretty laces and bonnets afforded a wide range for the ladies to swim in ecstasies of admiration.

Charles Forrest, a son of Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Forrest, of Salisbury, has been promoted to the important position of train dispatcher on the north line of the Wabash, running from Moberly to Ottumwa, Iowa. Tom, a younger brother of Charles, who has been presiding over the electrical forces on the C. & A. road, at Glasgow, for several months, has resigned his situation, and will accept a more lucrative position on the Wabash.

Last Friday Dr. Geo. M. Dewey, of this place, had a small tumor, which has "adorned" his left jaw for the past six months, removed by Dr. Tuholske, a famous St. Louis surgeon. The operation promises to be a success.

Some time since the Courier spoke very uncomplimentary of Keytesville because the scrapers and street-working tools had been left out in the streets all winter. We are pleased to note that a store-room for these tools has just been completed on the south side of the calaboose.

Col. Estill, representative from Howard county, addressed a Chariton county audience at the court-house here Monday afternoon. The colonel is an aspirant for the office of railroad commissioner. His speech was replete with good, sensible logic and sound Democratic doctrine.

Mr. A. C. Phillips has rented the A. Mackay stables, where he will be found hereafter ready and willing to serve those who want their horses fed, or who desire first-class livery rigs on short notice, and at the lowest living prices. Mr. Phillips plants an "ad" in the Courier this week.

Mrs. C. C. Riemann's elegant display of millinery goods at her grand spring opening, Friday and Saturday, was highly creditable to Mrs. Riemann's taste in making her selection of spring and summer millinery goods. It is very apparent that Keytesville is not going to be in the rear in stylish and attractive millinery this season.

Mr. Jas. Cuddy, one of Missouri township's influential farmers, was at the capital, Thursday, looking around with the view to purchasing residence property here. His chief purpose in moving to town is to give his children better educational advantages. Mr. Cuddy will please make a note of the fact that Keytesville has the best public school in the county. The Courier would be glad if he and his family would cast their lot among us.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Collins, parents of the senior member of the Courier, will start for San Francisco, Cal., on Wednesday of next week, where they will make their home with their youngest son, C. B. Collins, now traveling for a San Francisco harness and saddlery firm, but who was at one time engaged in running a harness shop in Keytesville. The old folks will be joined at Kansas City by Mrs. C. B. Collins and children, who are now living at Carbondale, Kas.

We heartily congratulate the enterprising citizens of Salisbury who pushed the electric light proposition to an issue of success. But we vehemently spurn the suggestion of the P.-S. to inflict upon Keytesville Salisbury's old street lamps. We have just made arrangements whereby by Keytesville will be lit up by a full moon once a month, and we ask for nothing better at present. Not even brilliant suggestions from the P.-S. will serve Keytesville's purposes so well as the refulgence of the moon's mellow beams. Give Keytesville moonlight and love for awhile, at least. Our city is not yet ready to do to the dazzling glare of electricity.

DRESS GOODS!

Wm. Rosenstein, of Brunswick, directs the attention of the ladies to his unsurpassed line of new spring Dress Goods, which embraces all the latest novelties and stylish varieties of Dress Goods Fabrics, such as Brocades, Mohair Brocades, Brocaded Henriettes, Brocaded Amiers, Drape d'Almas, Cashmere Ombres, Satens of all descriptions, in fact, Rosenstein carries everything new, stylish and novel in the Dress Goods line, which must be seen to be appreciated.

Jas. C. Talmage, whose case is now pending in the supreme court for killing Night Operator Tidd, at Brunswick, in January, 1888, was here attending circuit court, this week. It will be remembered that by the first verdict in the Talmage case, which was in October, 1888, the defendant was sentenced to the penitentiary for twenty-one years, but that a new trial was granted on the grounds that one of the jurymen was a distant relative of the murdered man's wife. The case next went to trial last October and again resulted in Talmage's conviction, his punishment being assessed at twelve years in the "pen." A new trial was again asked for, but was refused, and the case was appealed to the supreme court.

Right here in this town there are men who pray in public, and who invoke the blessing of Jehovah upon this community, who have in their pockets money derived from the rent of gambling dens in this place. With this state of affairs it is a wonder that the calamitous visitation of Sodom and Gomorrah is not sent upon Keytesville.

Rucker, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. White, reported sick of pneumonia, in our last issue, died Thursday, and was buried Friday.

The men who pray in public, and who derive a revenue from the rents of gambling dens, are overstepping the bounds—they are meaner than the devil even wants them to be. Such men will exhaust the supply of his satanic majesty's fire and brimstone.

At the annual school meeting at Huntville, on Tuesday of last week, a proposition for a loan of \$12,000 for the erection of a new school-house was voted upon and carried by a handsome majority. The new edifice will be built on the site of the old school-house which was destroyed by fire last winter.

At Columbia, Mo., April 1st, the students of the state university took unto themselves a holiday, in accordance with a time-honored custom of that institution, and after making fraternal calls to the colleges of Columbia, marched to the university campus, where they proceeded to burn the St. Louis Post-Dispatch in effigy, on account of recent publications in that paper derogatory to the faculty of the university.

Will B. Lee, whose case was set for trial at the present term of circuit court, for killing Thos. Maddox, near Forrest Green, on the 10th of last November, is looking very badly. Aside from being emaciated as the result of recent illness, he is on crutches, having badly mashed one of his legs by getting the member caught beneath a saw-log, which he had been assisting in sawing in two. Owing to young Lee's condition, and other reasons as well, his case has been continued until the October term of circuit court.

A number of pocket-knives, bearing the name of "George D. Bernard & Co.," a St. Louis blank book and stationery firm, have been distributed at the court-house, in this place, recently. The Courier will guarantee the county officials first-class work on all orders for job work with which we are favored, but we have no bribes in the way of pocket-knives, gold pens, etc., to offer for patronage. The tax-payers of Chariton county pay for all these little "souvenirs" which Messrs. Bernard & Co. and like firms are certainly not giving away for the benefit of their "health."

The Brunswick News climbed right up on its organ of hearing, last week, and indulged in some very plain, emphatic and not-to-be-misunderstood English because the city election did not go to suit the peculiar moral ideas of the News editor. Mr. Luster, owing to the flagrant inconsistencies of some of the church members of Brunswick, who supported the "saloon element," has declared his intention of taking out the church directory and saloon advertisement from the columns of the News. In another spasm of indignation Mr. Luster even goes so far as to court being shot by one of Brunswick's aldermen-elect. Here we drop the curtain and shut out a horrible tragedy.

Among other sensible things which the Farmers' and Laborers' union did, while in session here last week, was to pass a resolution to hold all of their county meetings at the county seat. The meeting convened here on Wednesday of last week and continued in session for two days. On Wednesday night the "evening session" ran into the wee sma' hours of the morning, ere the members of the organization sought their couches of repose. The entire session was only attended by members of the union, and the presence of outsiders was not desired, hence newspaper men know but little of what was "said" at the meeting. P. T. Smith president, and Henry Zillman pushed the pencil as secretary.

Messrs. Moore & Bartz, the gentlemanly and generous proprietors of the Keytesville Street railway, celebrated Easter Sunday by sending both passenger cars to the depot, Sunday afternoon, and giving several of the young folks and some old ones, too, a free ride. At a point opposite the fair grounds the double-trucks became detached from the second car, and the mules took a lively spin down an incline with Joe Hansmann presiding at the "ribbons."

The mules traveled too fast for Joe, and he tumbled a double summer-sault with the gentle zephyrs playing beneath his coat tail. The runaway team was headed off by some parties on the first car, and were brought back, hitched up and made schedule time to the remainder of the route. Joe's bruises are healing, and he will soon be able to sit down.

Carpets.

Call at Hunt & Co.'s and see their carpet samples; make your selection, give dimensions of the room which you want carpeted, and the carpet will be on hand, already made up, in forty-eight hours from the time it is ordered.

Notice.

Parties wanting pure, sour-mash whiskey from my new distillery can have their orders filled on short notice.

D. B. HULLOGG, Keytesville, Mo.

For Sale.

Fifty head of two-year-old steers coming three. Short of pasture, reason for selling.

H. G. LLOYD, New Cambria, Mo.

# Ready for Spring and Summer!

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## STROUSE & COMPANY

GLASGOW, MISSOURI.

Our five rooms are rowded with the Clargest and most Magnificent Stock of Dry Goods, Clothing, Boots and Shoes, Hats, Carpets and Curtains, Ladies' and Gents' Furnishing Goods, Never before have you been offered the BEST and LATEST that the market affords at such remarkably Low Prices. It is with the utmost confidence that we can say to our many Customers, Come and See Us, you will be Better Served and More Pleased than ever. We will give you a faint idea of what we are displaying and try to enumerate a few of the Grand Bargains that we have in our different departments.

# CLOTHING!

This department is the pride of our house. Never before did we have such a large stock, fine goods and low prices as this season. We call special attention to our CUSTOM TAILOR MADE CLOTHING manufactured from the best and finest Imported and Domestic Fabrics. We feel it is not too much for us to say that we can suit everybody, high and low, lean and fat, short and stout, we can SUIT you all. We have Prince Albert Suits in Black, Brown, Blue and Gray, made and lined in elegant style; you have such a suit made to order and pay \$35 for it, while we will sell you one guaranteed to fit just as nice and quality of material equally as fine for \$10 to \$15, suitable for a man to get applied in, suitable for Clergymen, suitable for Lawyers, suitable for Doctors, suitable for a noble young man, suitable for a stately old gentleman. Handsome Chesterfield Suits, in all the latest patterns and colors, at \$5; You can't buy them for \$10 anywhere else. Frock Suits in Black, Brown, Blue and Gray, Worsteds and Corkscrews, also in Stripes, Plaids, and Fancy Cassimeres—you would not guess the price—we sell you a good suit at \$25.00; You could not buy them elsewhere for double the money. Sack suits, such an assortment you have never seen in any house in this county. We have seventy-two different styles in Worsted, Corkscrew,

## DRY GOODS.

The latest novelties in Dress Goods, at such low figures that the burials for Strouse & Co. will make the welkin ring. Here, chalk this down in your memory.

1 lot elegant figured Satens, latest styles and colors at 8c, worth 15c.

100 pieces Lawns, new and stylish patterns, we will sell at the low price of 3c per yard.

1 lot new twilled Dress Goods, shades are only suitable for Spring and Summer, we will sell at the remarkable low price of 4c per yard.

32 pieces double width Dress Goods, 34 inches wide, in all the new colors such as navy blue, green, gendarme blue, navy blue, olive, tobacco brown, French gray, also black, at the unheard of price of 10c per yard, worth 25c, and sells for that every where.

42 pieces Henrietta cloth, 38 inches wide, in seal brown, navy blue, light blue, French blue, myrtle, Russian green, French gray, tobacco brown, cardinal wine, also black, we beat the world, at 25c a yard, goods that sell at 40c per yard in any other house.

160 pieces of the latest styles and fast colored calicoes, will be sold to our customers only for 3c per yard, cost just double the price anywhere else.

Good quality bleached muslin 1 yard wide, our price this Spring 4c.

Splendid 36 inch wide fine Sea Island cotton, at the unheard of price of 4c per yard.

Linen Crash for towelings, worth 10c we will sell from now on at 2c per yard. Serin, in colors, also white and ecru, worth 15c per yard, will go at Strouse's at 5c.

Tissue, for veiling in all the new shades, warranted pure silk, the price is 5c per yard, no other house will sell you the same for less than 15c.

Hamburg Edging and Inserting. Swiss Edging and Inserting. Chamille Skirting and Laces. Fine Trenchon Laces and Inserting. Valence Laces and Inserting. Irish laces, German edging, colored Hamburg and all the new styles of braids.

The largest stock ever shown in our house. Having bought an immense line of above goods from New York importers at very low figures, we will give the greatest bargains you ever bought this season.

Fine Hamburg and Swiss Edging from 1 to 5 inches wide, 2c, 3c, 4c, 5c, 6c and 1c, double the money could not buy them anywhere else.

132 Pieces of white dress goods suitable for ladies' and children's wear. The latest imported fabrics, consisting of Stripes, Plaids, Checks, Raised Figures and Brocades, also French Piques, we commence with a fine quality at 5c, 6c, 7c, 8c, 9c, 10c, 11c, 12c, 13c, 14c, 15c, 16c, 17c, 18c, 19c, 20c, 21c, 22c, 23c, 24c, 25c, 26c, 27c, 28c, 29c, 30c, 31c, 32c, 33c, 34c, 35c, 36c, 37c, 38c, 39c, 40c, 41c, 42c, 43c, 44c, 45c, 46c, 47c, 48c, 49c, 50c, 51c, 52c, 53c, 54c, 55c, 56c, 57c, 58c, 59c, 60c, 61c, 62c, 63c, 64c, 65c, 66c, 67c, 68c, 69c, 70c, 71c, 72c, 73c, 74c, 75c, 76c, 77c, 78c, 79c, 80c, 81c, 82c, 83c, 84c, 85c, 86c, 87c, 88c, 89c, 90c, 91c, 92c, 93c, 94c, 95c, 96c, 97c, 98c, 99c, 100c.

Agents for Giesecke's celebrated Boots and Shoes, none better made in this country, their price alone have no equal.

er house in this country can show you such a large assortment, and as in regard to the Price, that is out of the question. Fine German Lace at 1c worth 10c.

French White Cotton Floss 1c worth 5c. Best White and Black Cotton Tape 1c. Best Indigo Blue Calicoes, warranted fast colors 5c.

Best Rick Rack Braid, 18yds, in bunch, price of it everywhere is 15c, we sell it at 5c.

Garter web, the best quality, all colors and selling everywhere at 10c, our price is 5c.

Chambray Gingham, warranted fast colors in Blue, Pink, Brown, Grey and Black, at 8c. No other house will sell to you at less than 15c.

Strouse's Corset is the leading \$1 corset in this state, but remember we sell it at 50c.

A lot of fine braided and plain Jerseys, suitable for ladies' spring wear, and cost to manufacture from \$1.50 to \$3 will be closed out at 50c.

Silk finish Velvet, in all colors at 25c, would be a bargain at 50c.

Turkish Towels, new patterns, also suitable for Tides, at 5c, worth 15c.

Imported Nottingham Lace, 36 inches wide, suitable for Curtains, and worth 25c, we will sell it at 10c.

A large stock of Gingham, suitable for dresses and aprons, patterns desirable for ladies and children at the low price of 5c, sold everywhere else at 10c.

76 pieces imported and domestic Chalmers, in the latest fashionable designs, light and dark colored grounds, figured and striped patterns, suitable for either ladies' or children's dresses. We are selling a splendid quality at 5c per yard, any other house gets 10c a yard, and you think them cheap at that.

1 lot Sarah Silks, containing 25 different shades and all the new colors, worth 85c a yard, will be sold at Strouse's at 40c a yard, a bargain that every lady will appreciate.

Ladies' fine Gauze Vests; sizes 28 to 40, at 25c, would be cheap at 50c.

Indian Linen, splendid quality at 5c, regular price 10c.

Table Linen, 6-4 wide and selling anywhere at 40c, our price this season 20c.

Ladies' Collars, warranted pure linen, worth 15c, our price 5c.

Ladies' hose, warranted fast black dye, only 5c a pair, worth 25c.

25 dozen ladies' fancy bordered Handkerchiefs at 5c, selling everywhere at 10c.

Pins, best quality, largest size papers and worth 10c, we will sell this season at 1c.

BOOTS AND SHOES.

Agents for Giesecke's celebrated Boots and Shoes, none better made in this country, their price alone have no equal.

## Agents for Standard Shoe Co., manufacturers of ladies' and children's fine shoes.

Every pair of Giesecke's and Standard Shoes warranted to give satisfaction, or a new pair given in place of same; prices this season lower than ever. We have the largest stock of Men's, Ladies' and Children's Shoes that have ever been shown in our house.

Special in this line this season, we show an elegant stock of ladies' Slippers, and will sell them at such low figures that every lady will buy a pair.

Our men's Fine Shoes are in C, D, and E, lasts.

Our Ladies' Fine Shoes, are in C, D, and E, lasts.

1 lot Ladies' Fine Kid Shoes, consisting of 275 pairs, a job bought at bankrupt sale, and shoes worth from \$2 to \$2.50, will be closed out at 50c and 75c a pair, we have them in button and lace.

1 lot Children's Fine Shoes bought at same sale will go at 50c a pair, worth from \$1.25 to \$2 a pair.

Men's shoes, fine quality, in button lace, and congress at \$1. No other house sells you the same shoes for less than \$1.75.

Men's plow shoes, warranted fast, etc., all sizes, worth \$1.75 a pair, we are selling at the low price of 85c.

Ladies' tan slippers, the latest styles, and selling everywhere at \$1.50, our price this season 75c.

The largest stock of ladies' French kid slippers, also patent leather, ever shown in this country, these slippers are warranted to give satisfaction in every respect, or money refunded.

A large variety of Misses' and Children's slippers in tan and kid at the low price of 50c a pair, worth double the money.

115 pair of fine calf boots, warranted to sell everywhere at \$2.50, our price for this lot only \$1.25.

GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS.

The best selected stock in this line that has ever been in our house.

Gents' Ties in all the latest fads, that are worn in the cities, an endless variety, we commence with a fine tie at 10c, no other merchant will sell you same for less than 50c